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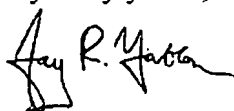
This is to follow up on my phone message regarding point 7 of the June 17, 2003 office action for 10/070,293.

The two references which you said were not considered should be in the file for the parent patent 6,321,690 of which 10/070,293 is a continuation. I suspect the mixup was because these two references were never listed on the references-cited list for US 6,321,690 although legible copies of these references were in the file and were considered in the parent case 6,321,690.

After noticing this omission, we filed and obtained the attached certificate of correction dated July 2, 2002.

Could you please see if these references are available in legible form from the parent file and let me know if you need anything else.

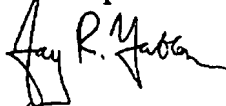
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PATENT NO. : 6,321,690 B1
DATED : November 27, 2001
INVENTOR(S) : Zilka et al.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page.

Item [56], **References Cited**, under "OTHER PUBLICATIONS" please add the following:

— VBB publication number 541 070 8 (GDR, 1930), pages 3440352 & 407

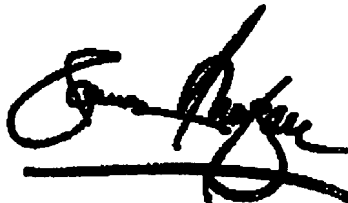
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